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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 41552

Hong, Zhi : Confirmation Number: 9432

Application No.: 10/535,742 : Group Art Unit: 1623

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed June 6, 2008, entry of the Amendments below and consideration of the following Remarks is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.